ORDINANCE NO. 96-10

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND CONTROLLING MOTOR VEHICLE PARKING WITHIN THE DOWNTOWN TRAFFIC AREA OF THE CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Indiana, desires to promulgate an amended ordinance to regulate and control parking in the downtown parking area of the City; and

WHEREAS, control and regulation of downtown parking is in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Lebanon, Indiana.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Indiana, as follows:

<u>Section 1: Downtown Traffic Area Defined</u>. The following area of the City of Lebanon is hereby defined to be the downtown traffic area regulated by this Ordinance:

The Courthouse square and the extension of the streets surrounding the Courthouse square to, but not including, any portions of North Street, South Street, East Street, or West Street.

Section 2: Overtime Parking Prohibited. It shall be unlawful and a violation of this Ordinance for any person to allow, permit or suffer any motor vehicle owned or operated by such person to be parked in excess of two (2) hours in the downtown traffic area within any designated parking space.

Section 3: Hours of Enforcement. The provisions of this Ordinance shall be enforced on Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., excluding holidays and election days.

Section 4: Reserved Parking. Elected county officials and

office-holders shall be exempt from the provisions of this Ordinance as follows:

Circuit Court two (2) Superior Court I two (2) Superior Court II two (2) two (2) County Auditor two (2) County Recorder two (2) County Clerk two (2) County Treasurer two (2) County Surveyor two (2) County Assessor one (1) Courthouse custodian three (3) County Commissioners County Prosecutor two (2) one (1) Center Twp. Assessor County Plan Director one (1) Veterans Service Officer one (1)

Additionally, public and private employees may be granted exemptions from the provisions of this Ordinance for reasons of physical or other disability justifying such exemption. Exempt vehicles shall be clearly marked with windshield or bumper stickers permanently attached to the vehicle.

<u>Section 5: Penalties for Violation</u>. Any person who shall violate any provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to the following penalties:

- A. For the first violation pay a penal sum of \$10.00. This sum may be paid to the traffic violations clerk of the City of Lebanon, Indiana, within thirty (30) days of the date of the violation. In the event payment is not made within thirty (30) days, the violator shall be summoned to appear in the Lebanon city Court and, if a violation is found, be subject to a fine of not more than \$25.00 plus court costs.
- B. Any vehicle found in violation of this Ordinance for two (2) or more successive days shall be impounded and towed at the violator's expense.

<u>Section 6: Effective Date</u>. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CO	mmon council this 28th day of
Attest: Aurie A. Gross Clerk/Treasurer	s H. Acton, Mayor
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